

City Manager's Office City of Frisco, Texas

Memorandum

To: Members of the Frisco Community Development Corporation Board of

Directors

Cc: George Purefoy, City Manager

Henry Hill, Deputy City Manager

John Eaglen, Strategic Services Manager / Assistant to the City Manager

From: Richard Oldham, Public Art Manager

Date: January 21, 2010

Subject: Discuss and give staff direction on the Weir Property and its future

use

Action Requested: Discussion and direction regarding future use of the Weir property as an artist in residency program.

Background Information: The residence on the Weir property has sat empty since the purchase of that property April 2007. Concerns about the security of the property have lead to discussions regarding possible use of the home and stables for visiting artists or an artist in residency program. It is expected that occupancy of the property would reduce the chance of trespass and damage.

Possible options and recommendations were submitted and briefly discussed at the last CDC meeting. Those options and recommendations are in the overview attached to this memo.

Supporting Documents: Artists residency overview.

Staff Recommendation: Included in overview.

Thank you for your consideration of these items. If I can be of any support, please contact me at 972 292-5104 or by e-mail at roldham@friscotexas.gov